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BIESER, <i>et al.</i>)	Art Unit: 1771
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Application No. 09/032,893)	Examiner: Cheryl A. Juska
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Filing Date: February 27, 1998)	Confirmation No. 1428
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For: HOMOGENEOUSLY BRANCHED)	
ETHYLENE POLYMER CARPET,)	
CARPET BACKING AND METHOD)	
FOR MAKING SAME)	

SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

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Sir:

Pursuant to the requirements of 37 C.F.R. § 1.56, submitted herewith on the accompanying Information Disclosure Statement List is a listing of documents known to Applicants and/or their attorneys. The items listed as E1-E237 were cited in one or more of the co-pending U.S. patent application numbers: 11/193,277; 10/418,227; 10/838,426; and 10/719,389, referenced below. In accordance with 37 C.F.R. §1.98(a)(2), copies of any cited U.S. patent or U.S. patent application publication documents are not enclosed. Copies of any cited foreign patent document and/or any non-patent publication are enclosed.

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In accordance with the provisions of M.P.E.P. § 2001.06(b) and 37 C.F.R. § 1.98(b)(3), Applicants would also like to bring to the attention of the Examiner the existence of the following co-pending U.S. patent applications:

Application Number	Filing Date	Attorney Docket Number
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11/193,277	July 29, 2005	03269.0029U3

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Also enclosed for the Examiner's consideration are four Office Actions rejecting the claims of co-pending U.S. patent application numbers: 11/193,277; 10/418,227; 10/838,426; and 10/719,389, referenced above. These Office Actions were mailed on August 7, 2006; December 5, 2005; December 2, 2005; and December 23, 2005, respectively.

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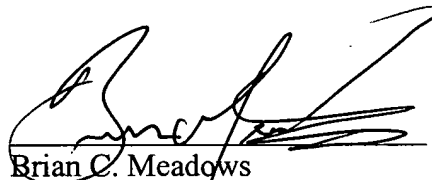
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Consideration of the cited documents and making the same of record in the prosecution of the above-referenced application are respectfully requested.

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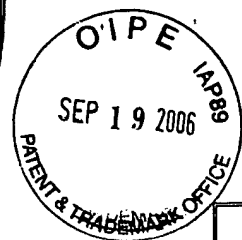
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